

REMARKS

Claims 1 to 26 are pending. Claims 1-13 and 16 are currently canceled. Claim 14 is currently amended. Reconsideration of the application is requested.

This Supplemental Response is intended to augment the Response under CFR § 1.111 that was filed by the Applicant on August 27, 2008. With respect to the claims presented herein, it is assumed that the claim amendments presented on August 27, 2008 have been entered. Current amendment reflects additional changes to the claim set of August 27, 2008. The arguments presented in the August 27, 2008 should be considered with this new claim set. The amendment removes “synthetic rubbers” from the list of elastomers of claim 14.

Additionally, the amendment to the Abstract corrects the objected to abstract and is in compliance with MPEP 608.01(b).

Telephonic Interview

The Applicant wants to thank Examiner Ferguson for the telephonic interview on this case held on September 17, 2008. During that interview it was acknowledged that the Applicant has submitted support for the date of the non patent literature prior art “Electrically Conductive Adhesives, 1994, on 8/27/08. The Examiner agreed to consider the reference in the next office action. The Applicant also agreed that the Abstract in the USPTO for this case does not comply with MPED 608.01(b). The Applicant agreed to submit a proper abstract which is presented herein. The Applicant argued that the chlorinated natural and synthetic rubbers of Ozawa, are not the same as the natural and synthetic rubbers of the instantly claimed inventions.

Additional Remarks

Subsequent to the telephonic interview, the Applicants have voluntarily removed the term “synthetic rubbers” from claim 14 since it was discovered that that various chemical dictionaries consider neoprene, which is a chlorinated elastomer, to be a synthetic rubber. With the current amendment to claim 14 the Applicants assert that the claim is now novel over Ozawa.

In view of the above, it is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance.

Examination and reconsideration of the application as amended is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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